Infrastructure, Destination Development and Large Revenue Generating Projects. Proposals for development of Tourism Circuits and Destinations Sanctioned to North-Eastern States during 2004-05 are as under:—

| | |
|---|---|
| Assam | Rs. 871.75 lakhs |
| Mizoram | Rs. 1076.35 lakhs |
| Meghalaya | Rs. 963.30 lakhs |
| Nagaland | Rs. 2932.19 lakhs |
| Sikkim | Rs. 630.81 lakhs |

**Funds for promotion of tourism**

t214. PROF. R.B.S. VARMA: Will the Minister of TOURISM be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government provide economic assistance to States to promote tourism;

(b) if so, the amount allocated to States by Government to promote tourism during last three years:

(c) whether it is a fact that allocation of funds to tourism sector has increased during the current year; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF TOURISM (SHRIMATI RENUKACHOWDHURY): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The total amount allocated to States during the last three years is as per Statement (See below)

(c) and (d) Yes, Sir. The Plan allocation for the tourism sector has increased to Rs. 786 crore for the year 2005-06 as against Rs. 500 crore last year.

†Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.

***Statement***

*State-wise Tourism projects Sanctioned during the Tenth Five Year Plan (as on 31.3.2005)*

(Rs. in Lakhs)

| Sl. No. | State/UT | 2002-03 No or" Project Sancd. | Amount Sancd. | Amount Released | 2003-04 No of Project Sancd. | Amount Sancd. | Amount Released | 2004-05 (provisional) No of Project Sancd. | Amount Sancd. | Amount Released |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 |
| 1. | Andhra Pradesh | 2 | 507.50 | 195.00 | 6 | 946.50 | 896.44 | 16 | 2827.19 | 2240.68 |
| 2. | Assam | 9 | 768.13 | 618.85 | 3 | 313.46 | 313.06 | 8 | 986.03 | 766.22 |
| 3. | Arunachal Pradesh | 5 | 41.30 | 32.50 | 6 | 1044.60 | 700.00 | 9 | 1325.50 | 927.96 |
| 4. | Bihar | 8 | 505.00 | 505.00 | 6 | 1019.42 | 913.89 | 7 | 1901.43 | 1527.71 |
| 5. | Chhattisgarh | 9 | 308.00 | 98.50 | 6 | 1005.00 | 364.00 | 6 | 1117.94 | 897.93 |
| 6. | Goa | 1 | 0.50 | 0.50 | 2 | 36.76 | 34.76 | 3 | 110.00 | 38.00 |
| 7. | Gujarat | 2 | 197.12 | 59.13 | 8 | 920.51 | 815.82 | 2 | 138.93 | 111.14 |
| 8. | Haryana | 8 | 332.25 | 311.00 | 16 | 1215.38 | 879.23 | 6 | 693.55 | 513.64 |
| 9. | Himachal Pradesh | 30 | 779.32 | 760.38 | 4 | 182.32 | 85.00 | 12 | 2680.00 | 2161.00 |
| 10 | J & K | 3 | 94.38 | 89.47 | 5 | 895.00 | 895.00 | 5 | 819.25 | 699.04 |
| 11 | Jharkhand | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1109.00 | 774.60 | 2 | 945.91 | 756.72 |
| 12 | Karnataka | 6 | 902.49 | 625.49 | 14 | 932.66 | 792.51 | 12 | 2461.76 | 1937.37 |
| 13 | Kerala | 11 | 861.36 | 829.86 | 6 | 608.50 | 564.15 | 10 | 2283.63 | 1820.33 |
| 14 | Madhya Pradesh | 18 | 711.18 | 574.79 | 10 | 621.90 | 394.51 | 11 | 1595.19 | 942.21 |
| 15 | Maharashtra | 8 | 623.46 | 546.25 | 10 | 931.83 | 914.58 | 10 | 1620.62 | 925.30 |
| 16 | Manipur | 2 | 5.24 | 2.62 | 1 | 82.44 | 24.73 | 0 | 0.00 | 0.00 |

| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 17 | Meghalaya | 3 | 70.35 | 21.20 | 2 | 40.22 | 24.92 | 2 | 963.30 | 807.91 |
| 18 | Mizoram | 6 | 141.16 | 48.46 | 5 | 567.70 | 186.75 | 6 | 1086.35 | 382.38 |
| 19 | Nagaland | 5 | 360.50 | 323.43 | 4 | 711.00 | 220.80 | 7 | 2250.69 | 1413.40 |
| 20 | Orissa | 2 | 47.50 | 15.75 | 5 | 419.55 | 138.50 | 8 | 1320.74 | 1059.38 |
| 21 | Punjab | 3 | 23.00 | 14.60 | 2 | 96.00 | 12.30 | 7 | 724.68 | 581.47 |
| 22 | Rajasthan | 13 | 1098.70 | 1096.20 | 14 | 1644.81 | 1414.25 | 13 | 2516,61 | 1375.07 |
| 23 | Sikkim | 13 | 346.24 | 269.76 | 8 | 1151.09 | 681.49 | 8 | 660.81 | 531.33 |
| 24 | Tamil Nadu | 5 | 559.00 | 316.10 | 14 | 1339.82 | 850.53 | 7 | 1308.92 | 705.83 |
| 25 | Tripura | 5 | 216.13 | 67.78 | 6 | 450.17 | 135.16 | 1 | 20.00 | 16.00 |
| 26 | Uttaranchal | 3 | 548.00 | 418.00 | 4 | 230.44 | 203 94 | 7 | 2199.98 | 1750.73 |
| 27 | Uttar Pradesh | 3 | 295.00 | 295.00 | 7 | 1115.80 | 916.26 | 9 | 1044.93 | 831.19 |
| 28 | West Bengal | 5 | 201.10 | 60.00 | 10 | 717.44 | 384.34 | 10 | 513.04 | 407.43 |
| 29 | Andaman & Nicobar | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 30 | Chandigarh | 3 | 7.75 | 6.63 | 2 | 10.00 | 8.00 | 3 | 467.00 | 373.60 |
| 31 | Dadar & Nagar | 2 | 8.07 | 6.46 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 32 | Delhi | 14 | 504.00 | 449.02 | 17 | 3316.28 | 3222.13 | 8 | 628.85 | 511.00 |
| 33 | Daman & Diu | 3 | 49.50 | 16.90 | 1 | 265.07 | 238.56 | 0 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 34 | Lakshadweep | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 35 | Pondicherry | 2 | 7.87 | 6.30 | 1 | 245.17 | 73.55 | 2 | 451.00 | 360.00 |
| | TOTAL | 212 | 11121.10 | 8680.93 | 207 | 24185.84 | 18073.76 | 217 | 37663.83 | 27371.97 |

NOTE: This includes the projects relating to Circuits, Destinations, Large Revenu Generating Projects, UNDP Rural Tourism (Software and Hardware) Projects, IT, Event, Fair & Festivals Projects.